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(Case No. 98,541-C)

In re Application of:

Christensen *et al.*

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For: Removal of Embedding Media from  
Tissue Samples and Cell Tissue  
Conditioning in Automated Immuno-  
histochemical Instrumentation

Examiner: not assigned

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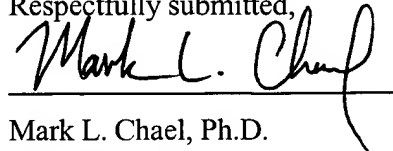
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